Subject: Freedom of Information Act Request: Benedetto Allen Records

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records:

Any and all documents and written or electronic communications, including attachments, that are in the possession of Kathleen Benedetto and that pertain to the job reassignment of former Bureau of Land Management communications director Matthew Allen. Allen was reassigned from the BLM to the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement last year. This request seeks documents produced between April 1, 2017 and the date this request is processed.

I am a reporter for Pacific Standard magazine.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Jimmy Tobias

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